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27 August 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director of Training

SUBJECT : Training Request from Naval Intelligence Command

1. Our response to the recent training request from Commander, Naval Intelligence Command, may include some policy considerations. Specifically, whether or not the Agency should provide what is essentially tradecraft training to operations officers of other intelligence components on a regular or continuing basis.

2. The following information may provide a helpful backdrop to this matter. Most recently (April 1971) we turned down a request from Major General Christian, ACSI, to train about 50 persons a year. However, prior to that date Staff Training has conducted the following single-course training for the military services:

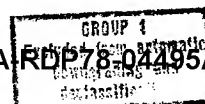
A. 8 - 26 January 1968; 20 members of the U. S. Navy Investigative Service.

B. 3 - 27 September 1968; five students from the 1127th Field Activities Group, USAF.

C. 10 March - 4 April 1969; 11 students, also from 1127th.

D. 13 - 24 July 1970; 13 members of U. S. Navy Seal teams.

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3. For the record, [] informed me on 26 August that he had just been in touch with his contact in Navy and had been informed that there is pressure from the top in Navy to get assets into the field - to get this training started. [] contact indicated, orally, that the Navy would be willing to set up any kind of facility required, anywhere, and to pay the salaries of any staff instructors involved in order to get the job done. The Navy contact indicated that his service has the money for this purpose, while the other services do not.

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